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New Group Replaces Vigo TB Society

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John W. Dinkle, Sr., vice president of the Vigo County Tuberculosis Society has announced recommendation by the members of the board to dissolve the association after payment of all debts. The assets of the association will be transferred to the new Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association of Southwest Indiana, Inc.

This new regional Association will serve 17 counties in Regions Seven and Thirteen of the state and a local committee in each of the 17 counties, including Vigo, will replace the respective local boards.

Mrs. Juanita Miller, executive director of the Society, reviewed for the membership the reorganization of the Indiana Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association and its present county affiliates into eight multi-county area affiliates.

This plan, she pointed out, has been under study for several years and was adopted by the state association board in February, 1971, and by the membership of the state association April 29, 1971.

She said the new TB-RD Association of Southwest Indiana was formed for organization of voluntary community efforts to advance the eradication of tuberculosis and the control of other respiratory diseases, the elimination of cigarette smoking, conservation of clean air and improvement of community health and welfare.

She added that in her opinion the new area association will operate more efficiently and at the same time reduce costs, thus bringing about better programs in 17 counties in the area.

Dinkel will be chairman of the Vigo County Committee of the regional association. The annual meeting of the committee will take place in May, Mrs. Miller said.

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SMOKING SAM, a life size manikin made his debut Friday during a meeting of the Vigo County Tuberculosis Society. "Sam" was acquired by the TB Society to be used in an educational program in the Vigo County Schools. Pictured with Sam are from left, Don O'Rear, board chairman for the TB Society; Sam, and Dr. Wally Marks, seal chairman for the TB Society. Martin Photo.

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"Smokey Sam" Willingly Takes Anyone's Cigarette

"Puff, puff, puff." Twelve-year-old Same stands up before anyone who will offer him a cigarette and lets the smoke rings curl about his head.

True to his nickname, Smokey Sam willingly accepts a smoke from his audience whether it is at a service club meeting, an elementary school or before a group of health authorities.

Sam is a life size manikin used to warn youngsters on the dangers of smoking. He recently was acquired by the Vigo County Tuberculosis Society and will be used in an educational program in the Vigo County schools. schools.

Sam is built to smoke cigarettes through glass jar lungs that filter out tar to be seen and smelled. His first demonstration was for members of the society's board of trustees Friday.

Mrs. Juanita Miller, executive director of the TB Society, will meet with elementary principals Thursday to arrange a series of appearances at local schools.

Sam was developed by M. V. Jacobson for the Educational Supplies company of California. He is specially clothed so his shirt may be opened to reveal his lungs. Through a hole drilled in his lips, he "inhales" the smoke and it is carried down the throat through clear plastic tubing. It is filtered through spun glass into each lung.

The lungs are quart jars allowing the deposits of tar to be clearly seen, Mrs. Miller explained.

Working with Mrs. Miller to plan the program to be given at the schools is Charles Woodruff, an Indiana State University student, majoring in health and safety. He is serving an internship in the TB office this semester. Sam, a 25-minute film, a slide presentation and sections of normal and damaged lungs are available for educational programs. They were purchased with funds raised during the annual Christmas Seal campaign.

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Keifer Honored For TB Activities

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Louis F. Keifer, president and general manager of the Tribune-Star Publishing Company, was one of several persons honored Friday during the annual meeting of the Vigo County Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Committee.

The committee, formerly known as the Vigo County Tuberculosis Society, meeting in the Cotillion Room of Hulman Center, honored Keifer for his 43 years of service to the board. He became a member of the board in 1929 and has served as its president for the past 32 years.

Keifer was unable to attend the luncheon meeting. John W. Dinkel Sr., chairman of the committee, noted Keifer's years of service to the organization and his contributions. A certificate of appreciation will be presented to Keifer at a later date.

Guest speaker at the luncheon meeting was Dr. Maryanne Roehm, director of continuing education in the school of nursing at Indiana State University.

Dr. Roehm spoke on the subject, "Utilization of Concepts of Nursing in Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease."

Two Indiana State University students were named recipients of the Louis F. Keifer Scholarship of the Vigo County Tuberculosis Society. They were Terry Yard, who will graduate from ISU in August. Yard said he plans to use his scholarship to work on a master's degree in health and safety. A renewal scholarship in the field of nursing was awarded to Mrs. Marlene Smith, a senior at ISU, who is working toward completion of a bachelor's degree.

Other awards presented during the meeting by Dinkel included pins to persons who have served as township directors for the turberculosis Christmas seal campaigns in recent years.

Those receiving pins included: Mrs. Edgar Minnich, 14 years; Mrs. Paul Gummere, eight years; Mrs. Brad Lawson, six years; Mrs. Joseph Bisch, eight years, Mrs. Wayne Livengood,

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19 years; Mrs. Bessie Richey, 19 years; Mrs. Ralph Youngblood, four years, and Mrs. James Kuykendall, eight years.

Persons previously recognized for their terms of service as township directors included: Miss Henrietta Hahn, 31 years; Mrs. Bernice Lamb, 29 years; and Mrs. Herbert Clark, 21 years.

Board members receiving recognition and awarded pins for length of service were: Fred D. O'Rear, 23 years; Dr. Stuart R. Combs, 25 years; John Callahan, 13 years, and Miss Thelma Jobe, 10 years.

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Vigo TB Society Appoints Seal and Bond Chairmen

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The Vigo County Tuberculosis Society board of directors Friday named the Christmas Seal and Bond chairmen for this year.

Louis F. Keifer, president, said that Wayne C. Sherer will be the 1972 Christmas Seal chairman and John R. Holdren Christmas Seal bond chairman.

Sherer, a Wiley High School and Indiana University graduate, is secretary and treasurer of Forrest Sherer, Inc., insurance firm, and past president of the Terre Haute Jaycees. He also is past president and current board member of the National Foundation March of Dimes; treasurer and board member of the Wabash Valley Chapter, American Red Cross, and member of the Kiwanis Club of Terre Haute.

Holdren, a native of Anderson where he started in the grocery store business in 1948, is owner and president of two Great Scot super markets in Terre Haute and two in Evansville.

He attended Indiana University where he was a member of Theta Chi fraternity. He is a member of Masonic Lodge No. 19, Wabash Valley Scottish Rite, the Zorah Shrine, Royal Order of Jesters, the Terre Haute Country Club and a director of the Indiana Retail Grocers' Association and Supermarket Institute.

In other business brought before the board, John W. Dinkel, Sr., vice-president, reported on the progress of the organizing of the Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association of Southwest Indiana, scheduled to become operative next April.

The present county association will become a part of the new 17-county TB-RD Association which will have at least one representative director from each of the counties. Because of their larger populations, Vigo and Vanderburgh will have more than one director.

Officers and a board were elected at the recent meeting of the steering committee for the new group, Dinkel reported. Representatives from Vigo County will include Dinkel, also a member of the executive committee of the state association; Mrs. Herbert Lamb, member of the VCTS board, and Mrs. Linda Harbour who will be a director-at-large of the new association. Dinkel also will serve on the executive committee of the regional association.

Although all details of the new organization have not been

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determined at this time, Dinkel said that preliminary plans call for an administrative office to be located in Evansville with a

WAYNE C. SHERER

JOHN R. HOLDREN

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branch office in Terre Haute in Room 609 of the Tribune Building which now houses the local association office.

Officers of the regional association are Andrew H. Albrecht Sr., president and general manager of the Automobile Club of Southern Indiana at Evansville who will serve as president. He is a past president of the Vanderburgh County TB-RD Association and of the Indiana TB-RD Association.

Eugene Blough, Oakland City, was named president-elect; Clemence Nordhoff, Jasper, vice-president; Miss Margaret Schuckman, Vincennes, secretary, and Miss Marguerite Butts, Clinton, treasurer.

Other members of the new board of directors from surrounding counties include Mrs. Judith Mooney, Putnam County; Mrs. Marjorie Bradfield, Parke County; Mrs. Raymond Fisher, Clay County, and Mrs. Renatta C. Pigg, Sullivan County, all of whom are representative directors. Mrs. Ralph Bee of Putnam County will serve as director-at-large.

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Name Dr. Marks, O'Rear To Head TB Seals Drive

Vigo Co. T.B. Assn

Dr. Walter E. Marks and Donald C. O'Rear have been named to head the annual Christmas Seal and Bond Campaign in Vigo County, according to Louis F. Keifer, president of the Vigo County Tuberculosis Society.

Christmas Seals and Bonds are being delivered to Vigo County residents, industries, and businesses by mail this week. The campaign will continue through Dec. 31. This year's goal, according to Mr. Keifer, is $26,000, all of which is needed to continue the programs of the TB Society in Vigo County.

Dr. Marks, chairman of Christmas Seals, recently retired as Dean of the School of Health, Physical Education and Recreation at Indiana State University. He has resided in Terre Haute since 1927. He earned his PhD Degree from the University of Chicago where he was a three-letter man in football, basketball and baseball. Later he earned three degrees from Indiana University, including a PhD in education in 1949. A World War II veteran, he served 44 months as a major in the Air Force.

His distinguished service to ISU was recently acknowledged by the university and the community when the athletic field was named in his honor. A salute dinner was given to commemorate his years of service to ISU and the community.

Dr. Marks and his wife, Kathryn, reside at 49 Ferndale Dr. He has two sons, Walter M. and John W. Marks. A member of the Central Presbyterian Church, he has served as a deacon. He is a member of Sigma Nu, National Education Association, the Indiana and National Health, Physical Education and Recreation Associations, the Terre Haute Elks, Phi Delta Kappa and is a 32nd Degree Mason.

DR. WALTER E. MARKS

DONALD C. O'REAR

O'Rear is owner and president of Penetcost and Craft Ace Hardware, Meadows Shopping Center and O'Rear Ace Hardware, Plaza North. He is a graduate of DePauw University and has served as a member of the Board of Directors of the TB Society since 1941.

Active in the Terre Haute Exchange Club, he has served as president of the club and as a member of the state board of control. Other community activities include service on the Union Hospital Board of Directors, past director of the Terre Haute Area Chamber of Commerce and past president of the Indiana Retail Hardware Association.

He served as secretary and president of the Terre Haute Jaycees in 1941 and 1942 and was named "Outstanding Boss

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of the Year" in 1969 by the Jaycees. His other memberships include Terre Haute Lodge No. 19, F&AM, Terre Haute Consistory of the Scottish Rite, Zorah Shrine, Terre Haute Elks and the Country Club of Terre Haute.

O'Rear and his wife, Mary, reside at 33 Lakeview Dr. They attend Centenary Methodist Church. The O'Rears have two daughters, Mrs. Polly Hicks of Terre Haute and Mrs. Carole Cousineau of Cleveland, Ohio.

Christmas Seal township directors who will be assisting in the campaign are: Miss Henrietta Hahn, Prairieton; Mrs. James H. Markendall, Sugar Creek; Mrs. Edgar Minnich, Fayette; Mrs. Paul Gummere, Honey Creek; Mrs. Joseph L. Risch, Lost Creek; Mrs. Herbert Lamb, Otter Creek; Mrs. Wayne Lockwood, Nevins; Mrs. Bessie Richey, Pierson; Mrs. Herbert Clark, Prairie Creek; Mrs. Ralph M. Youngblood, Riley and Mrs. R. Brad Lawson, Linton.

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Three TH Physicians Elected To Vigo TB-RD Unit Board

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By GLADYS SELTZER
Star Staff Writer

Three Terre Haute physicians were elected Friday to fill the vacancies in membership on the board of the Vigo County Unit of the TB-RD Association of Southwest Indiana.

According to the report by Mrs. Juanita Miller, Program Associate, the new members are Drs. J. F. Pangan, who replaces the late Dr. S. R. Combs; Robert L. Meissel who replaces Dr. W. W. Drummy and John R. Showalter who fills an existing vacancy previously determined.

Mrs. Herbert Lamb presided at the meeting because John Dinkel, chairman, could not be present.

One of the Unit's most important actions was drawing up recommendations for program input for the regional association's program committee of the SWI board. These programs it adopted will be supported by contributions from the Christmas Seal Campaign in the 17-county region, one county being Vigo.

The administrative office in Evansville reported as of Nov. 6 a total return of $31,638 for the seal campaign's 17-county area, or 28 per cent of last year's funds for the area.

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Program recommendations from the Vigo County Unit were as follows:

1. Course in RD for allied health personnel in Region 7. To be conducted by Continuing Education Department, School of Nursing, Indiana State University for LPN's and Inhalation Therapists.

2. Continue support of Terre Haute Academy of Medicine (includes physicians from surrounding counties). Provides speaker for one meeting of the academy plus clinical session for academy membership at one of the hospitals. Speaker on some subject relative to Lung Diseases.

3. Continue subscriptions to Clinical Notes, American Lung Association Bulletin. Continue mailing of new materials to professionals in area.

4. Continue support of LPN

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classes at Wabash Valley Regional Institute (IVy) Tech), classes in School of Nursing and Department of Health & Safety, ISU. Provide materials for instructors and students plus films for classroom use. Suggest purchase of new film, The Facts About Emphysema.

5. Continue School Health Education Programs on Smoking and Health. Also, furnish films on other aspects of Lung Disease. Suggest purchase of film, Breathing Easy.

6. Promote participation in school press and radio projects in all schools.

7. Support School Health Conference held annually by ISU Department of Health & Safety; promote conference by mailing notices to TB-RD Units and key persons in surrounding counties to solicit attendance. Support similar university programs in other areas of the TRDASWI.

8. Support Vigo County Interagency Council on Smoking and Health and other Councils in the area. Promote formation of such councils where need exists to promote smoking education programs. In Vigo County, literature, meeting room, postage for mailing notices, and staff time has been contributed to this program.

9. Continue public education programs by use of educational materials, year-round TV and radio spots, industrial posters, etc.

10. Give County Units opportunity to appoint Christmas Seal Campaign Chairman at local level to help promote publicity at local level.

11. Continue active involvement in Comprehensive Health Planning at local and regional levels.

Finally, would recommend that all program activities for all counties be documented so that all county units are aware of programs being conducted within each county and can have opportunity to participate in promotion of such programs, as well as inthe planning of programs.

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SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS — John W. Dinkel, Sr., at left, chairman of the Vigo County Committee of the Tuberculosis-Respiratory Disease Association of Southwest Indiana, is shown presenting a Louis F. Keifer Scholarship to Mrs. Marlene Smith, center, and Terry Yarde, right, students at Indiana State University, at the committee's annual meeting Friday in Hulman Center. (Photo by Kadel)

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Vigo TB-Respiratory Group Honors Keifer, Volunteers

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Several volunteers of the former Vigo County Tuberculosis Society, including its president Louis F. Keifer, were honored Friday at the annual meeting of its successor, the Vigo County Committee of the Tuberculosis-Respiratory Disease Association of Southwest Indiana.

Two scholarships also were awarded from the Louis F. Keifer Scholarship Fund, established in 1969 in Keifer's honor, and presented to the recipients by John W. Dinkel, Sr., chairman of the new county committee and for 12 years vice-president of the VCTS.

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Recipients were Terry Yarde, recommended by the faculty of the Department of Health and Safety at Indiana State University for the award which will help him enter this Fall the Master's degree program in the School of Health.

The second award was presented to Mrs. Marlene Smith, recommended by the faculty of the School of Nursing at ISU. Mrs. Smith, who also received the award last year, is working toward her degree in nursing at ISU while continuing to work at Union Hospital.

Awarding of the two scholarships will be continued from the Keifer Scholarship fund regardless of the reorganization, according to a staff member.

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Dinkel noted that Keifer, who could not be present to receive the gift certificate prepared for him, served on the VCTS board for 43 years and as president for 31 years.

"Through his leadership, the VCTS has prospered and its programs in the community have continued to expand, not only in the field of tuberculosis, but in the area of other respiratory diseases," Dinkel said.

Keifer requested that he be allowed to retire from leadership with the reorganization, although he will continue as a member of the committee.

Mrs. Juanita Miller, associated with the VCTS for more than 30 years and its executive secretary for a number of years, following the retirement of Mrs. Virginia Brunswick from that post, also was presented with a gift certificate

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by the board in appreciation of her services.

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She now is program associate for the new regional organization and will serve six counties from the former VCTS office in the Tribune Building. The Southwest Indiana headquaretrs is in Evansville and will serve 17 counties.

Mrs. Miller cited the work of Dinkel for the VCTS and thanked him for his guidance during the period of reorganization.

Mrs. Miller thanked the township directors and members of other volunteer organizations who for many years have helped with the Christmas seal and bond campaigns to raise funds for the society's work. She said that the seal and bond sales will be handled through the regional office and date processing in Evansville.

Members of the Tri Kappa sorority for 37 years helped record returns. Members of the Krietenstein Auxiliary of this American Legion Post and members of the 8 et 40 Auxiliary mailed bonds and seals for 27 years. Members of the latter group also prepared Christmas baskets and gifts for families.

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Dinkel recognized those boadr members who already have received service pins but who could not be present. They were Mrs. A. N. Levin, with 39 years on the board; Sterling Pittman, 32 years, and Don C. O'Rear, 29 years.

Miss Thelma Jobe received a ten-year service award pin and other board members, not present at the luncheon, will receive pins. They were Dr. Stuart R. Combs, 25 years; Fred D. O'Rear, 23 years, and John Callahan, 13 years, respectively, on the board.

Township directors also were recognized for their long years of service. They were Miss Henrietta Hahn, Prairieton township, 31 years; Mrs. Herbert Lamb, Otter Creek, 29 years, and Mrs. Herbert Clark, Prairie Creek township, 21 years.

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Double-barred cross pins were presented to three of the other township directors present who were Mrs. Wayne Livengood, Nevins, 19 years' service; Mrs. Paul Gummere, Honey Creek, eight years; and Miss Irene Hahn who assisted her sister as township director in Prairieton.

Other township directors honored but who could not be present to receive their pins were Mrs. Bessie Richey, Pierson, 19 years; Mrs. Edgar Minnich, Fayette, 14 years; Mrs. Joseph Bisch, Lost Creek, eight years; Mrs. James Kuykendall, Sugar Creek, eight years; Mrs. Brad Lawson, Linton, six years, and Mrs. Ralph Youngblood, Riley, four years. The directors have a total of 167 years of service.

Speaker for the luncheon was Dr. Maryanne Roehm, Director of Continuing Education in the School of Nursing at ISU, who described the in-service courses and programs for professionals on improved care and nursing techniques for patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease.